

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant :	Wayne G. Sainty	Group Art Unit :	2881
Serial No. :	10/577,421	Examiner :	Maskell, Michael P.
Filed :	04/27/2006	Attorney Docket :	ST005US
Title :	Ion source control system		

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE B

Dear Sirs,

In response to an Office Action mailed 15 August 2008, the Applicant hereby requests to amend the application as follows: